# Homeless Programs Branch Center for Mental Health Services 2003 Exemplary Program Nomination Form

Nominations should document how the program has demonstrated:

- Use of one or more identified evidence-based or promising practices
- Linkages with or use of mainstream services/resources
- Evidence of addressing chronic homelessness
- Positive client outcomes

In addition, please document whether and how the program addresses each of the following:

- Homelessness prevention
- Consumer involvement

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Culturally sensitive services and supports

Nomination Made By:		
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Program Nominated:		
Name of Primary Contact		
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Does the program or agency rec	eive PATH funds? Yes □ No □	
If you have any questions, pleas	e contact Margaret Lassiter at (800) 444-74	15 extension 230 or e-mail at

Please fax the completed nomination to Margaret Lassiter no later than Friday July 18, 2003 (518) 439-7612 FAX

# Please address each of the following in your program description:

## 1. Use of one or more identified, evidence-based or promising practices

Describe the program's use of evidence-based or promising practices, as defined in the research literature. These include, but are not limited to, Assertive Community Treatment (ACT), Critical Time Intervention (CTI), psycho-education, integrated treatment for co-occurring disorders, and supported employment.

### 2. Proven track record of collaborating and linking with mainstream services/resources

Describe any exemplary aspects of how this program collaborates or links with other mainstream or non-targeted homeless services, such as housing, mental health and substance abuse treatment, primary health care, entitlements (e.g., SSI), veterans assistance, criminal justice and/or employment.

### 3. Evidence of addressing chronic homelessness

How does the organization address chronic homelessness in its planning and delivery of services?

#### 4. Positive client outcomes

Describe the positive client outcomes the program achieves in terms of accessing of permanent supportive housing and mainstream services.

#### 5. Additional program information

Please describe how the program addresses issues of homelessness prevention; consumer involvement in the planning, implementation and evaluation of services; and providing culturally sensitive services and supports.

## 6. Population/focus

Please describe which of the following populations the program serves:

- -people who are homeless and have mental illnesses
- -people who are homeless and have substance use disorders
- -people who are homeless and have co-occurring disorders

#### 7. Additional Comments

Please provide or attach any additional information that you think is important about this program.